

Listing of Claims:

Note: No claims are amended, and the following listing of claims is provided for reference only.

- 5 1 (previously presented): A method of accessing a nonvolatile memory, the nonvolatile memory being installed in an electronic device and comprising a plurality of zones, each zone comprising a plurality of spare blocks, the method comprising the following steps:
- 10 (a) determining if a look up table is stored in each zone of the nonvolatile memory, and if the zones of the nonvolatile memory do not contain a corresponding look up table, storing a look up table of each zone in at least a spare block of the zone;
- 15 (b) the electronic device calculating one of the zones of the nonvolatile memory corresponding to a logic address used by a host for accessing the nonvolatile memory;
- 20 (c) the electronic device reading the look up table of the zone calculated in step (b) from at least one of the spare blocks and storing the look up table in a memory of the electronic device; and
- (d) the host accessing the nonvolatile memory according to the look up table stored in the memory of the electronic device.
- 2 (cancelled).
- 25 3 (previously presented): The method of claim 1 wherein the method further comprises determining if the zone calculated in step (b) equals the zone corresponding to the look up table stored in the memory of the electronic device.

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4-5 (cancelled).

6 (original): The method of claim 1 wherein the nonvolatile memory is a
flash memory.

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7 (original): A device for implementing the method of claim 1.